

Volunteer Efforts Make Recycling at 2009 Art & Wine Festival a Success!

Beautiful weekend weather drew thousands to Sunnyvale's Art and Wine Festival June 6th and 7th. For the second year in a row, the City of Sunnyvale Recycling Program set up compost containers along with recycling and garbage service in an effort to strive toward a "zero waste" event. Food court vendors served meals on compostable dishes. Compostable forks, spoons, plates and napkins were available to all event goers. Volunteers from the Boy Scouts and Cool Cities helped make the event successful!



← The Boy Scouts setting up bins early in the morning.



Recycle, compost, or garbage? Cool Cities volunteers help event goers decide where to throw.



2,480 pounds of glass, aluminum and plastic bottles were recycled. That is more than 160 pounds than last year!



← The Boy Scouts making the rounds to empty bins and keep the festival clean and tidy.

Homestead High School CSF and AP Environmental Class students sell reusable water bottles.



All in all, more than 2 tons was kept from landfill and recycled, instead. Way to go, Sunnyvale!

